

## BALTIC

Graduating Exercises at Academy on the 21st—William Barlow Leaves for England to Reside.

Mrs. Clayton Rood and son, who are staying at Pleasant Beach for a vacation, were home Monday.

### Academy Graduation.

The graduating exercises of the Academy of the Holy Family will be held the 21st.

Miss Anna Cahill of Baltimore is home for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Peck of Depot Hill are at Atlantic City for several weeks.

Miss Wilda Phaneuf of Hartford was home over Sunday.

Abel Reeves and family of Danielson were guests Sunday of Mr. Reeves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henri Reeves.

Mrs. James McGuire and daughter Lorraine have returned after a week's visit with relatives in Danielson.

Arthur Bateson of Pawtucket is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Chason.

Mrs. Albert Lemieux and family of Northbridge, Mass., have moved to Main street, Baltic.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Genereux and infant of Main street leave today (Wednesday) for a trip in the province of Quebec.

### Returns to England.

William Barlow left Monday evening for his home in England, where he will reside in future. He sails the 15th from New York.

### Going Abroad.

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## What is Going On Tonight.

June Meeting of Town School Committee. Windham Encampment, No. 10, I. O. O. F. Moving Pictures at the Bijou and Scenic Temple. Willimantic Commandery, No. 256, U. O. G. C.

## SMALLPOX EXPENSIVE.

Cost to City and Town Up to June 1 \$8,222—Other Bills to Pay.

The first case of smallpox appeared in the city about four months ago, and the expense to date totals a nice round sum, and there will be further expenditure before the cases are all cleaned up. The city had spent, up to June 1, \$4,563.10, and that sum did not include Dr. Keating's salary, which has not been paid yet, nor the salary of the nurse at the isolation hospital. The town, up to the same date, had spent \$1,764.12 for meats and groceries, also, which makes a total spent by the city and town of \$6,327.22.

Tuesday there were exactly 20 patients at the hospital, 18 of whom are from the city, one from the town and one from Vernon. Monday evening one of the Chalfour children of lower Main street was released, and by the last of the present week two others will be released. Indications tend to the belief that the patients from now on will be released rapidly.

## WEDDINGS.

**Porteance—Martin.** Tuesday morning at 3 o'clock at St. Joseph's church Edmund R. Porteance and Miss Katherine Ester Martin were married by the pastor, Rev. John J. Fleming. The nuptial mass was sung by Rev. Philip J. Mooney and was attended by an unusually large number of guests. The bride, wearing a gown of white tulle, was escorted by her father, Mr. R. M. Martin, and the groom by his best man, Mr. R. M. Martin. The bridesmaids were Misses Katherine Ester Martin and Misses Katherine Ester Martin. The groomsmen were Messrs. Edmund R. Porteance and Edmund R. Porteance. The wedding reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. R. M. Martin, where about 40 guests were present.

The bride's gown was imperial marquisette trimmed with Irish point lace. She wore a hat with plumes and carried a large bouquet of sweet peas. Her traveling gown was tan cloth. The bridesmaid wore pink crepe de chine with lace trimmings of the same color. She wore a large hat to match and carried pink carnations. The bride received many beautiful gifts, including a china chocolate set from the Junior choir, a picture of the Madonna from the senior choir and a fine refrigerator from the employees of the Atlantic and Pacific company's store, where the groom is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Porteance left at noon for Hartford by automobile as their honeymoon home. They will spend in Berkshire Hills. Upon their return they will make their home in this city.

**Racicot—Moseley.** Henry Racicot and Miss Isabelle Moseley of this city and Connville, respectively, were united in marriage Tuesday morning at 4 o'clock at the rectory of St. Mary's church by Rev. C. J. Lemieux. Witnesses to the ceremony were Alfred Racicot and Miss Hazel Moseley, relatives of the bride and groom.

**NORRIS PRIZE ESSAYS.** Written by Miss Carrie Cocking and Homer Harrington.

At a special meeting of the Bessie Wright at the Windham High school Monday afternoon the five best Norris prize essays were read by their authors in competition. Principal Robert A. Case opened the meeting, and this program was carried out: Piano duet, Edith Bowen and Ethel Golden. The five essays were then read in order by Georgia Robinson, Homer Harrington, Harriet Porter, Arthur Kimball and Carrie Cocking. Elmer Ellisworth gave a reading after Mr. Porter's essay. The essays were written from the assigned topic How Can We Best Aid Foreigners to Become Loyal American Citizens? The announcements of the winners was made by Mrs. W. A. King, who said that essay No. 11 and essay No. 25 were awarded first and second prizes, respectively. Miss Cocking was the author of No. 25, and Homer Harrington of No. 11. The essays were all very good and

the authors showed that they were familiar with their subject by reason of long and careful study and research. It was a difficult task, the judges reported, to make the award, as all were exceptionally good.

W. C. Norris, the beneficent gentleman who annually offers the prizes, delivered a felicitous speech and presented Miss Cocking a 210 gold piece and Mr. Harrington a silk American flag.

**Building New Sidewalks.** A number of property owners in the city have or will soon contract to have new sidewalks built. At present Ahern Brothers are setting 300 feet of curbing on the sidewalks in front of the Hickey estate. William J. Sweeney's and John F. McDonough's property on the east side of Jackson street. Just as soon as this is finished a fine new concrete sidewalk is to be constructed by Charles Larrabee, Jr., who has the contract from the city.

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**Resigns After 20 Years.** Dennis S. Shea, who has been employed at the furniture store of J. C. Lincoln for the past 20 years, has resigned his position, and is leaving for a vacation. Mr. Shea has been a very faithful employee and knows the trade. He will spend the balance of the month visiting friends throughout New England and in July will leave for a tour of several weeks through the west.

**Foreclosure Suit for \$4,500.** Judge J. M. Tatem of Eastford and Windham has brought foreclosure action against Fred C. Tilden. Mr. Tilden's property at the corner of Walnut and Spring streets was attached on Tuesday, and the suit, which is for a \$4,500 mortgage, is returnable to the superior court for Windham county on the first Tuesday in September. Constable W. J. Hastings served the papers in the action.

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**STAFFORD SPRINGS.** Schmidt-Schneider Wedding at the Congregational Church—Officers of West Stafford C. E. Society.

A pair of horses hitched to a large wagon became frightened when the wagon was being loaded with furniture near the home of Lewis Otis Monday, ran down Cobble hill and across Main street, where the wagon came in contact with a store building. The horses were thrown down and the wagon considerably injured. Some of the furniture was broken and the horses were slightly injured. The horses are the property of Charles G. Ellis and the team was in charge of Joseph Gilbert. The furniture belongs to Mr. Otis, who was having it put on the team to be moved to Ludlow, Mass., where Mr. Otis is employed.

**Borough Notes.** Attorney Thomas F. Noone of Rockville was in town Tuesday.

Miss Mae Chandler of Simmons college is home for the summer vacation.

The annual picnic of the Stafford high school will be held at Lake Wampanoag in South Coventry, Saturday. The party will leave town on the eight o'clock train Saturday morning.

**Officers of C. E. Society.** The Christian Endeavor society of the West Stafford Congregational church has elected the following officers: President, Miss Mary Ballantine; vice president, George M. Barlow; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Marshall Bradley; recording secretary, Mrs. Richard Boyce; treasurer, Spencer H. Bradley.

**To Attend Smith Commencement.** Rev. John W. Ballantine and his daughter, Miss Mary, will attend the commencement exercises at Smith college next week, where Mr. Ballantine's daughter, Miss Margaret Winthrop Ballantine, will be one of the graduates.

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**Schmidt-Schneider Wedding.** At the Congregational church Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock Miss Alfreida Schneider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Schneider of Church street, and Herman Schmidt were married. The ring service was used and the ceremony was performed by Rev. R. G. Clapp. There was a large attendance and the church was beautifully decorated with palms and laurel. The bridesmaid was Miss Jennie Schneider, a sister of the bride. Alvin Schmidt, of Clinton, Mass., a brother of the groom, was best man. The bride wore white duchess satin with pearl trimmings and carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley. Her maid was attired in light blue duchess satin and carried pink roses.

Miss Mary Schneider, a sister of the bride, and Miss Freda Turschman, her niece, were flower girls. Miss Ethel Moore was at the organ and as the party entered played the wedding march from Lohengrin. The reception was at the home of the bride on Church street. The ushers at the church were John T. Yare, Jr., Bernhard Schmidt and Charles Splitstoser. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold locket and chain and to the best man and ushers gold links. The bride received many beautiful presents. She is a member of the Girls' Joy club and among the gifts was a leather Morris chair from

the club. Several out of town guests attended the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt left on the 5:10 p.m. train for Boston, where they will spend a week. They will reside with the bride's parents on Church street upon their return from the wedding trip.

## MYSTIC

Two Students Are Graduated from High School—Many Mourners at Funeral of Ezra Lamphere.

There was a large attendance at the assembly hall of Mystic High school to listen to the graduating exercises of the class of 1912, of which there are two graduates, Miss Grace Walkey and Albertus Brown. The programme included: Music, Grinnell's orchestra; prayer, Rev. Welcome B. Bates; music, orchestra; recitation, Miss Gladys C. MacGraw; vocal solo, Miss Dorothy E. Purdy; essay, Miss Grace Walkey; Mandalay, Russell Irving Sparks; music, orchestra; vocal solo, Harry Somers Mitchell; essay, Albertus Brown; presenting diplomas, F. H. Brower; music, orchestra. The ushers were Harry Mitchell, Harry Feldier, Russell Sparks, Walter Wolfe and Walter Crooks.

**Funeral of Ezra Lamphere.** The funeral of Ezra Lamphere, who was killed in New York Saturday, was held from the home of his mother, Mrs. George H. Lamphere, on Bank street, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and was largely attended. Rev. Welcome B. Bates, pastor of the Union Baptist church, conducted the services. Delegations were present from Stenning lodge, No. 1, O. F., and Pequot council, Modern Woodmen of America, to which the deceased belonged. Burial was in the family plot in Voluntary cemetery.

**Noank Council Works Degree.** Betsey Ross council, Daughters of America, held an interesting session in I. O. O. F. hall Monday evening, when five candidates were initiated. Liberty council of Noank was present, 30 strong, and worked the degree for Mystic council. Many compliments were paid the workers on the floor. After the work a social time was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

**Heard About Town.** Mrs. John E. Hill and three children of New York are guests of Mrs. Sara Wheeler.

Charity chapter, Order of Eastern Star, held their meeting Tuesday evening in the Masonic temple on Gravel street.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Epworth league was held Monday evening in the Methodist vestry and was largely attended. After the business session there was a social session and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Charlotte Lamb has returned from a visit to Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Lamb of Norwich.

Mrs. Warren W. Packer is seriously ill at her home on West Mystic avenue.

Mrs. Everett L. Crane of Poquonnoe spent Tuesday with Mrs. George D. Johnson.

Mrs. Frank Leffingwell of Norwich is the guest of her mother, Mrs. George Lamphere.

**COLCHESTER.** Work on State Road—Neighborly Thoughtfulness—Schools Visited.

Contractor Tryon and wife of Meriden were callers here on Monday. Mr. Tryon has the contract for the state road which is being built from the Lebanon line to the village. A large steam shovel was taken down on road near Roger Foot's place. The road is to be part Telford and part gravel.

**Modern Good Samaritans.** A number of the members of the local savings bank to Frank Rogers of Meriden in Lebanon and worked putting in his crops. Mr. Browning being ill and unable to do much farm work this spring.

A. N. Potter of Willimantic was the guest of friends in town Monday.

J. Frank Rogers of Salem was a Colchester caller Monday.

Judge Buell was in Westchester on Tuesday, attending court.

Supervisor of Schools Potter was in town Monday and also in Salem, visiting schools.

Colchester grange met in Grange hall Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Willard, from Colchester, and Irving Watkinson of Norwich were at Camp W. Gardner Lake, in Mr. Watkinson's touring car.

Frank Gahmman of North Westchester was a caller in town Tuesday.

**STONINGTON.** Fairbrother-Reiche Marriage June 26—Birthdays Celebrated—Miss Selden Arrives at the Inn.

Rev. J. H. Odell and family of Scranton, Pa., have arrived and opened their summer home on Main street.

Mrs. H. E. Taylor of Willimantic visited the borough schools Tuesday.

The marriage of Karl A. Reiche of Hartford and Miss Anne E. Fairbrother of Stonington borough will take place June 2 at the home of the bride's father, Judge L. D. Fairbrother.

Miss Fannie Selden arrived from New York Tuesday and opened the Wampanoag Inn for the summer.

Mrs. J. B. Brown is visiting in New York.

George Taylor is visiting in New Haven.

**Dual Birthday Celebration.** On Monday evening Miss Lillian Thompson entertained at her home, on Review park, a number of friends in celebration of her birthday, and also that of her father. Games were played, songs sung, and refreshments were enjoyed. Miss Thompson and her father received many gifts.

The elm trees on Main street are receiving a thorough spraying to guard against beetles. So far the trees have been free from the pest.

The schools of Stonington will close June 26th for the summer vacation. Children's day exercises will be held in the Second Congregational church by the Sunday school Sunday at 10:45 a.m.

**ECZEMA THAT SPREADS.** How a Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Man Found Relief in Saxo Salve.

"I had been troubled with weeping eczema for months and used many preparations for skin troubles without relief. The first application of Saxo Salve allayed the dreadful itching immediately, and after further use my skin trouble entirely disappeared. Saxo Salve was just what I needed.—W. H. Glynn, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

In eczema the little vesicles or pimples are filled with a fluid that burns and itches the skin the moment they are torn open by scratching. This causes it to spread.

In such cases we can conscientiously recommend our new skin remedy, Saxo Salve, for its action on the skin in all forms of eczema and other distressing skin troubles is indeed marvelous.

If it does not help you we will return your money. Broadway Pharmacy, G. G. Engler, Norwich, Conn.



Anty Drudge Changes Grocers.

Grocer Shortage—"Madam, the whole secret is in the naphtha. Now here's a new naphtha soap—try it." Anty Drudge—"Naphtha nothin'! Couldn't I get a little naphtha of my own, if it was only naphtha did it. I tell you these imitations don't have the combination that's in Fels-Naphtha soap, and won't wash clothes the Fels-Naphtha way. Here's where I quit trading with you."

We are sometimes asked by housewives if Fels-Naphtha soap is as good for washing clothes in winter as in summer. Better, if that is possible.

The best thing about Fels-Naphtha is that you don't have to boil the clothes either winter or summer. And because boiling is more disagreeable in winter, Fels-Naphtha is a greater blessing then. In the winter doors and windows are closed, and the nauseous odor of boiling clothes cannot escape to the open air; then, too, steam loosens and wrinkles wall paper. And chapped hands are caused by dipping them in hot water and then exposing to the cold.

You don't need hot water in